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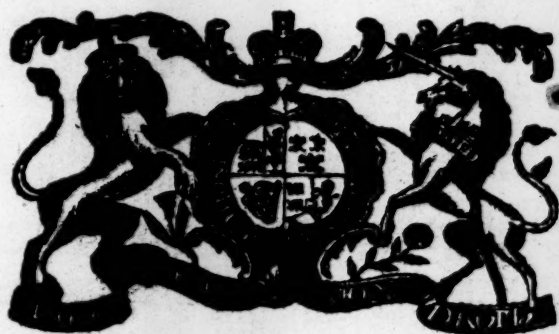
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Anno Regni decimo septimo & octavo

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C H A P. XXXIV.

WHEREAS the granting
a Bounty upon the Car-
riage by Water Coast-ways, of
Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats,
Bere, Barley, Flour of Wheat,
Malt and Oatmeal, from the
Northern and Southern Parts
of this Kingdom to the City of
Dublin,

Anno decimo septimo & octava,

Dublin, will be a further Encouragement to Tillage and Navigation, and tend to lessen the Expence of the Bounties on the Inland Carriage ; Be it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That all and every Person and Persons, who shall from and after the First Day of *August*, One thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight, import any sound, merchantable Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere or Barley, or any Flour of Wheat, Malt made of Bere or Barley or Oatmeal, of the Growth and Produce of this Kingdom, by Water Coast-ways, to the City of *Dublin*, from any Port or Place

Every Person who shall after 1 Aug. 1778, import any sound Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere or Barley, or any Flour of Wheat, Malt made of Bere or Barley or Oatmeal, of the Growth of this Kingdom, by Water Coast-ways

to the Southward of *Dublin*, not nearer thereto than *Wicklow*, nor farther therefrom than the *Tuscar*, or from any Port or Place to the Northward of *Dublin*, not nearer thereto than *Drogheda*, nor farther therefrom than *Carrickfergus*, and shall sell and discharge the same in the publick Markets, or Places where Corn, Flour, Malt, or Oatmeal are usually sold in *Dublin*, shall upon performing the several Requisites herein after mentioned, receive from the Collector of the Port of *Dublin*, for the Time being, or the Officer appointed for paying the Premium upon the Inland Carriage of Corn and Flour to *Dublin*, the Sum of Four-pence per Hundred weight, for each and every Hundred weight of such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, Barley, or Oatmeal, im-

ported to City of *Dublin*, from any Place to S. thereof, not nearer than *Wicklow*, nor farther than *Tuscar*, or from any Port, &c. to the Nor. of *Dublin*, not nearer than *Drogheda*, nor farther than *Carrickfergus*, and sell the same in publick Markets, or Places where Corn, &c. are usually sold in *Dublin*, shall, upon performing the Requisites, receive 4d. for every Cwt. of Wheat, &c. as before mentioned, imported or brought into *Dublin*,

One Shilling
for every
Cwt. of
Flour made of
Wheat, and
Malt made of
Bere or Barley
imported as
aforesaid.

ported or brought into *Dublin*,
as aforesaid; and the Sum of
Twelve - pence *per* Hundred
weight, for each and every
Hundred weight of such Flour
made of Wheat, and Malt made
of Bere or Barley, imported or
brought into *Dublin*, as afore-
said.

Every Per-
son importing
or bringing
such sound
Wheat, &c.
from any Port
or Place S. of
Tuscar, or
any Place
N. of *Car-*
rickfergus,
&c. and sell
the same
where usually
sold; shall,
upon perform-

II. And be it further en-
acted by the Authority afore-
said, That all and every Person
and Persons who shall from
and after the said First Day of
August, One thousand seven
hundred and seventy - eight,
import or bring any such sound
merchantable Wheat, Beans,
Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or
Flour of Wheat, Malt made
of Bere or Barley, or Oatmeal
of the Growth and Produce of
this Kingdom, from any Port
or Place to the Southward of
the *Tuscar*, or from any Port

of Place to the Northward of *Carrickfergus*, by Water Coast-ways, to the City of *Dublin*, and shall sell and discharge the same in the publick Markets or Places where such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt or Oatmeal, are usually sold in *Dublin*, shall, in like Manner upon performing the Requisites herein after-mentioned, receive from the Collector of the Port of *Dublin*, for the Time being, the Sum of Five-pence per Hundred weight for each and every Hundred weight of such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley or Oatmeal; and the Sum of One Shilling and Two-pence per Hundred weight, for each and every Hundred weight, of such Flour of Wheat, and Malt made of Bere or Barley so brought

ing the Requisites receive 5d. for every Cwt. of Wheat, &c. and 1s. 2d. for every Cwt. of such Flour, &c. imported or brought into *Dublin*;

brought or imported into *Dublin*, from any Port or Place to the Southward of the *Tuscar*, and the Northward of *Carrickfergus*, and sold as aforesaid.

III. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Master of the Ship, Boat, or Vessel, in which such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt made of Bere or Barley, or Oatmeal, shall be brought to the City of *Dublin*, and likewise the real Owner of such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt made of Bere or Barley, or Oatmeal, shall, before the same shall be shipped, give Notice thereof in Writing to the Collector or principal Officer of the Port or District where the same shall be shipped, and shall specify in such Notice, the Quantity and

Master of Vessel in which Wheat, &c. brought to Dublin, likewise real Owner of, &c. shall, before shipped, give Notice to Collector, &c. of District where shipped, and specify the Quantity, &c.

Quality of such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt made of Bere or Barley, or Oatmeal, intended to be shipped and such Collector or principal Officer shall thereupon direct One of the Officers of such Port or District, to attend the Shipping of the same, and as soon as the same shall be shipped, such Officer shall make a Return in Writing to such Collector or principal Officer, of the Quantity and Quality of such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt, or Oatmeal, so shipped, and in such Return the Name of the Ship, Boat or Vessel in which such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt or Oatmeal shall be so shipped, and of the Master thereof,

of Wheat, &c. intended to be shipped, Officers to attend the shipping of such Wheat, &c. to give a Return in Writing of the Quantity, &c. and Name of the Vessel, Master, &c.

signed by Of-
ficer making
the Return;

thereof, shall be specified, and also the Time of shipping the same; and the said Return shall be signed by such Officer making the same, and the Quantity for which the Premiums shall be paid shall not exceed the Quantity set forth in such Return and the Master of such Ship, Boat, or Vessel, shall after such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt or Oatmeal, shall be so shipped, make an Affidavit before such Collector, or before some Neighbouring Justice of the Peace, (which Oath they are hereby respectively empowered and required to administer without Fee or Reward) of the Quantity and Quality of such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt, or Oatmeal so shipped, and likewise the Owner

er or Owners of such Articles so shipped, shall make like Affidavit or Affidavits in Manner, Affidavit made of their Place of Residence; and Articles shipped being the Growth of this Kingdom, and never before received Bounty for Carriage; mentioning his or their Place or Places of Residence respectively, and the Quantity and Quality of the Articles so shipped by him or them respectively, and that the same are of the Growth of this Kingdom, and that no Part of any such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt, or Oatmeal so shipped, has ever received any Bounty for Carriage by Land or Coastways, and such Collector or principal Officer shall thereupon deliver to such Master a Certificate under his Hand and Seal, in which shall be mentioned the Quantity and Quality of such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt, or Oatmeal

meal so shipped, and also the Name of the Master and Owner and Owners of such Cargo, and his or their Place of Residence, and such Collector or principal Officer, shall, by the next Post, transmit to the Collector of the Port of *Dublin*, true Copies of all such Returns, Affidavits, and Certificates, which Copies he is required to file and keep safe.

Master shall
on his Arrival
in Dublin,
make Affidavit
of the Quantity,
&c, and

IV. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Master of every such Ship, Boat, or Vessel, shall, upon his Arrival in the City of *Dublin*, deliver to the Collector of the Port of *Dublin*, such Certificate, and shall also make an Affidavit before such Collector or Officer, (which such Collector or other Officer is hereby impowered and required to
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administer without Fee or Reward) in which shall be mentioned the Quantity and Quality of such Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere, or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt, or Oatmeal, so brought, the Name or Names of the Owners thereof, and the Place from whence he brought the same.

Name of the
Owners, and
from whence
brought.

V. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons, shall forge any such Certificate, Affidavit, or Note, or if any Person or Persons shall produce to such Collector or Officer, any such Certificate, Affidavit, or Note, knowing the same to be forged, or shall knowingly swear any Thing that is false in any such Affidavit, he, she, or they shall upon Conviction of any such Offence,

Penalty on
Persons forging
a Certificate, or
swearing a false
Oath.

Offence, suffer such Punishment as Persons convicted of wilful Perjury, are by the Laws of this Kingdom subject to.

Accounts
shall be kept
of the several
Payments.

VI. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That such and the like Accounts shall be kept of the several Payments which shall be made in Pursuance of this Act, for all Wheat, Beans, Peas, Oats, Bere or Barley, or Flour of Wheat, Malt, or Oatmeal, imported Coastways to the City of *Dublin*, as are directed to be kept by the several Acts relative to the Premiums upon the Land Carriage, of Corn and Flour brought to the City of *Dublin*.

VII. Provided always, That such Officer so appointed for paying the said Premiums, shall not
pay

pay any Premium in Pursuance of this Act, unless a Certificate be produced to him under the Hand and Seal of the Surveyor or Land-waiter of the Port of *Dublin*, specifying the Quantity of Corn, Beans, Peas, Malt, Flour or Oatmeal, landed, that is found and merchantable, with the Name of the Ship and Port from whence it came, nor unless the Collector of the said Port of Dublin shall certify in like Manner that by the Copies transmitted to him from the Collector or principal Officer of the Port from whence the said Ship came, the several Certificates, Affidavits, and Returns seem to him to have been made as required by this Act.

Officer appointed for paying Premiums, shall not pay, unless a Certificate be produced, under the Hand of Surveyor, &c. of the Port of Dublin;

VIII. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid,

Officers to
take no Fee
for any Thing
done by them.

said, That none of the said
Officers herein before menti-
oned shall take any Fee or
Reward whatsoever, for any
Thing he or they shall do in
Pursuance of the Directions
herein before given.

This Act to
continue until
1 June, 1782,
and to the
End of the
then next
Session.

VIII. And be it further en-
acted by the Authority afore-
said, That this Act shall con-
tinue in Force until the First
Day of *June*, One thousand
seven and eighty-two, and to
the End of the then next Sessi-
on of Parliament.

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